

**Application Data Sheet**

**Application Information**

**Application Type::** Regular  
**Subject Matter::** Utility  
**Suggested classification::**  
**Suggested Group Art Unit::**  
**CD-ROM or CD-R?::** None  
**Computer Readable Form (CRF)?::** No  
**Title::** METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR  
AUTOMATIC FOCUSING OF AN OPTICAL  
DEVICE  
**Attorney Docket Number::** 016790-0458  
**Request for Early Publication?::** No  
**Request for Non-Publication?::** No  
**Suggested Drawing Figure::**  
**Total Drawing Sheets::** 7  
**Small Entity?::** No  
**Petition included?::** No  
**Secrecy Order in Parent Appl.?::** No

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#### Domestic Priority Information

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#### Foreign Priority Information

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